

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 17

January 11, 2020

SUMMARY OF BILL: Establishes that a person is not engaged in unlawful activity or in a place where the person does not have a right to be if the person is engaged in the activity or in the place due to the person's status as a victim of human trafficking. Requires such person to prove his or her status as a victim of human trafficking by clear and convincing evidence.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation authorizes a person to provide clear and convincing evidence of a person's status as a human trafficking victim through testimony.
- Any impact to local incarceration, the court system, or state incarceration resulting from adding the proposed legislation as a defense for unlawful activity is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bojan Savic".

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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